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DAILY-EXCEPT SUNDAY, FOURTH OF JULY, THANKSGIVING, AND CHRISTMAS.

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IF you are opposed to the Tobacco Trust, all you have to do is to put up your money and start one in opposition. There's no "monopoly" in Trusts; but don't forget that it takes real money, and plenty of it, to run a big busi-

The declared aim of the new Schoolbook Law was to "down" the Trust in Kentucky; and yet the Commission at Frankfort has just awarded the American Book Company the contract for furnishing text-books to the county schools for a period of five years.

AND now, after the Democrats have nominated Mr. CLEVELAND, -in their minds, -and have elected him, -in the papers, -the only living ex-President says if the nomination were handed him on a silver platter that he "wouldn't accept the silver platter." No wonder Mr. Bryan opposes this pronounced enemy of silver, with the ratio of "Platter to One."

Mr. Bristow, who appears to be the whole Postoffice push at Washington, is hostile to the Rural Free Delivery, probably because it does away with his "fluence" through Fourth-class Postmasters. He has recently "ruled" that Congress pays the Carriers too much, and has consequently cut down their salaries to suit himself. Naturally, the Carriers will carry their case to Congress.

who had eyes, fingers, hands and legs injured An NEWPORT furnishes a list of eight children by "harmless" fireworks on the Fourth.

An example has been made of one barber who talked too much. In St. Louis after shaving a World's Fair customer, the barber asked-

"Have a sea foam?"

And the customer consented.

"A dollar and thirty cents, please," said the barber.

And the customer coughed up;

But he told the police.

And the Court did the rest. The barber was given two years in the Pen

at hard labor for extortion. How much better off he would have been had

he not asked that last question—if he hadn't talked so much.

It is a singular fact that while the newest of the great Nations the American Flag is the oldest of any Nation. It has not been changed since its adoption by Congress on June 14th, 1777, while that of every European Nation has been altered in some respect. Speaking of the Flag, The National Tribune of Washington

"It is the only Flag in the world for which no apology need be made, no defense or extenuation set up. In all its 127 years of vigorous life it has invariably stood for the very best that the imagination of man could conceive. It has stood for the highest liberty, the most absolute justice, the most elevated morality. Though in its 127 years it has extended its supremacy over a greater area of the world's surface than Rome governed in her proudest days, yet there has been upon it absolutely no blemish of conquest, spoliation or oppression. It has been like the glorious light of the sun, which brings peace, life, fertility and growth, and all that follows the vivifying effects of its beneficent light.

"Much the grandest in its symbolism of power of any flag which floats in all the breezes which encircle the globe, its sublimer aspect is in the moral and sentimental ideas it represents. It was first set as a sermon in the skies for justice, equality and righteousness for all men. Never for a moment has there been any variableness or shadow of turning in that meaning. Over 1,000,000 men have died to make that meaning prevail to the uttermost. This is shown by the pure aspirations of the men who have maintained it and have died to keep it true and high in the heavens. It is therefore the most sacred Flag in the world, because or the signification given it by the

## Ounce Prevention

......No saying is so true as the ......old adage, "An ounce of old adage, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." The glorious Fourth will soon be here, and with it the usual amount of danger. Why not lay in a supply of "hospital ammunition" and be prepared to greet the burns and other hurts that are sure to visit every home where there is a boy?

We Carry a Full Line of Bandages, Court Plaster and Remedies

> .To allay inflammation, pain and swelling from burns,
> cuts and other wounds.
> Prepare yourself for the
> after effects of a Fourth celebration.

PHARMACIST.

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#### NEW TELEPHONES.

To Subscribers—The following names are not n our Directory, these telephones having been in-tailed since its publication. Please paste on the uside of front cover of your book, and call always y number.

166—Hall, Mrs. S. S., Residence. 292—Hunter, Charles J., Residence. 349—Ledbetter, A. C., Residence, 130—Redmen's Headquarters.

perative cigar factory.

quite harmless.

their employes.

were valued at \$2,083,506.

### MAYSVILLE TELEPHONE CO.

Wine 150 years old exists in Switzerland.

Cigarmakers of Boston have started a co-

An electric current of 5,000 volts is fatal.

increased from 8,081,252 pounds in 1901 to

37,822,806 pounds in 1903. The 1903 imports

The Tien-Tsu-Husi, or Society for Natural

marry girls with artifically-crippled feet.

may freeze a room and another warm it.

by grand juries, and where there is no habeas

corpus act, it has sometimes happened that

forced to serve a time in Jail.

Mrs. McClellan, wife of the Mayor of New York, is most unassuming and cares nothing for

The suicide rate in the United States has in-Every year 5,000 tons of Congo rubber are old in the Antwerp market.

Mortality from cancer is very high in beer-Because he has crossed the Atlantic so many times Charles Frohman's friends call him Tofrinking districts of Germany, such as Bavaria and-Frohman.

The irrigation development of the Snake Increase the voltage to 500,000 and it will be River Valley, Idaho, has received a setback by the proposed construction of a power plant.

Some of the life insurance companies and The Nile dam at Assouan enabled the Egypseveral of the largest stores in New York have tians last summer to supply 20,000,000 extra begun a war on race track gambling among tons of water daily at the critical time for Imports of palm oil into the United States

A new broom trust has been formed, to include perhaps forty-four different factories. The trust expects to use 2,000 tons of broomcorn per month, and to turn out 3,000 dozen brooms a day.

Feet, is making many converts in China. In At Ft. Madison, Ia., lives Mrs. Rachel Alsome regions young men sign a pledge net to bright, the granddaughter of Betsy Ross, who made the first flag for the independent colonies. She was born in her grandmother's home, in It is now proposed to pipe refrigeration from a central plant to outlying plants, just as hot Philadelphia, 1812, and was taught by her to air and water have been piped, so that one pipe | sew.

Incense is extensively used all over the Orient, and last year 13,337 cwts. (1,493,744 pounds) Baron von Sternberg, German Ambassador, were shipped to Bombay, which is a great disin his address to the graduates of the Univertributing point, and 127,040 cwts. (1,426,880 sity of the South, stated that the password of able-bodied men seeking employment is now beof it going to Marseilles and Trieste.

In Germany, where indictments are not made The cultivation of rubber in Siam has recently been started, some thousands of plants' having been set out as an experiment. These present average condition of cotton 88, against innocent people have been confined in Jail for plants, of the Para variety (Hevea brasiliensis,) under varying conditions of moisture, sun, etc. | was changed into poker.

Manchester, Eng., is about to establish a great intermunicipal telephone plant in co-

Wait for

Tomorrow's Paper.

Good News

From

the New York Store

Hays & Co.

Now is the SPRINKLE Time to.....SPRINKLE

Rubber Hose

We cater to those that demand the best. Our Hose is 7-

ply, guaranteed to stand the high pressure; in fact, it is the

best Hose manufactured and is 1/4 inch instead of 1/4 inch.

We also carry a line of fittings for same.

The largest appropriation for good roads was that made at the last session of the New York Legislature. It was a million and a half.

operation with a dozen neighboring towns.

Two little French boys near St. Quentie drowned their baby brother because their mother fondled it more than she did themselves.

White bread supplies more available nutriments to the body than bread made from graham, entire wheat or any other kind of flour milled at the present time.

Industrial questions mixed with politics are causing some anxiety in parts of Austria. At-Tamovar, near Agra, there were serious riots after a recent meeting.

The city of Glasgow makes \$7,500 a year profit out of waste paper collected in the streets. Liverpool has now decided to add to its income in the same manner. Master carpenters at Naugatuck, Conn., have-

asked the journeymen to postpone their demands for an eight-hour day and an increase in wages until next November. Imports of cheese into the United States now

exceed the exports. During the ten months ended April 30, imports amounted to \$2,790,030and exports to \$1,992,501. A Bayarian has invented a convenient clock

for night use. The invention consists of a lampwhich on the button being pressed throws upon the ceiling an optical representation of a small watch lighted by electricity.

Germans claim that poker is an old Germangame which for more than 100 years has been 83 last month, 77.1% at this time last year and many months. The Imperial Bundesrath is now are said to be doing exceedingly well, although played, and is still being played, in some disconsidering a bill providing for the awarding of they have had no especial care, but have been tricts of Westphalia. Emigrants took it to the The marriage of General Piet A. Cronje, the damages to any innocent person who may be planted indiscriminately in various places and United States, where its name of scharwengel

## heart's blood of those myriads of high-souled men.'

# NEXT?

We have had the Streetfair, the K. E. A., the Circus and many other things to instruct and entertain. The next thing to engage your attention will be

## COMBINATION SALE!

The ladies are especially requested to get ready for this and to see that their husbands, brothers and sweethearts attend. Good music, an entertaining Auctioneer and free conveyances will be features of this sale. If you want to get any property listed for sale in this Combination see me not later than July 6th.

Good Farms now on sale.

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MAYSVILLE, KY

TELEPHONE 333.

### Advertised Letters

Below is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Maysville (Ky.) Postoffice for the week ending July 6th, 1904: Low, George

Campbell, Dr. Gooding, Miss Della Gray, G. W. Haley, Miss Emma Jones, T. J. Kay, Mrs. Sallie

Moffett, Simon Morton, Mrs. Lillie Portor, Mrs. Mary Stuckley, Miss Goldie Watson, Mrs. Louisa Fos Wenner, Frank

Well, C. S. and Ladies Love, Mrs. Hattle One cent due on each of above. Persons calling for these letters will please say that they are advertised.

CLARENCE MATHEWS, Postmaster.

### Latest News

Judge Beekman Winthrop was inaugurated as Governor of Porto Rico.

Near Hadley, in Warren county, Charley Keys was shot and instantly killed by Fred Scott during a quarrel over a game of cards.

The Liao Yang (Manchuria) correspondent of the Agenzia Liberia, reports that 600 cases of typhus has broken out in the Russian army.

Judge William L. Dulaney, one of the most prominent lawyers of Kentucky, is critically ill coming "Go South." at his home at Bowling Green of cholera morbus.

The Department of Agriculture makes the

famous Boer leader, and Mrs. Johanna Stetzel. was solemnized yesterday in the Boer war camp at the World's Fairgrounds, according to the customs of the Dutch Reformed Church.

The Pope suffered from a sudden attack of palpitation of the heart early yesterday morning, due to heat and worry over Vatican affairs. The attack soon passed, but left his holiness very weak. His entourage is very much alarmed over the attack.

Fire at 2:15 yesterday morning destroyed the restaurant in the Jerusalem concession at the World's Fair. The loss is estimated at \$15,000. A number of persons are said to have had narrow escapes. Several hundred people from Palestine live in the miniature city.

Official announcement was made that in a battle fought yesterday to the East of Liao Yang, near Yanseling Pass, the Russians retreated, losing 200 mea in the engagement. A force of Russians attacked the Japanese outposta at Mo Tien Pass, but was repulsed, losing 80 killed and wounded. The Japanese casualties

### THE FUN BEGINS

In Maysville today and continues until after the Fourth. We fire the old price off every pair of Shoes in the house in an effort to close out the stock within the limit of thirty days allowed by the Trustee. The biggest noise is to be made on



Choice of any pair in the house—high or low cut, tan, patent leather or vici kid—going with a "bang" at the price. Misses', Women's and Children's Lines at reductions which make the sacrifice seem a "burning shame."

.....W. R. SMITH & CO.